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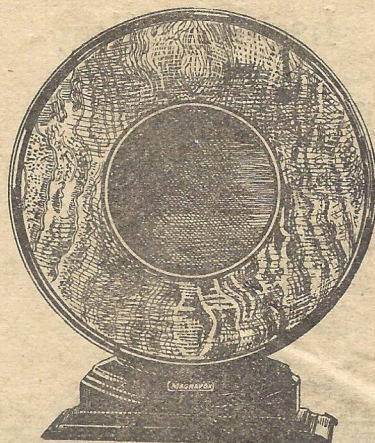
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Competition Table

ALL AGE.

	P	W	L
Rozelle	2	2	0
Auburn	2	1	0
Birchgrove . . .	2	1	0
Easton Park . .	2	0	0
University . . .	2	1	1
Rose Bay	2	1	1
Perdronians . .	2	1	1
City Rovers . .	2	1	1
Wingford	2	0	2

A GRADE.

	P	W	L
Lilyf'd United .	2	2	0
Teachers' Col. .	2	2	0
Farmers'	2	1	1
Auburn	2	1	1
Bondi	2	0	2

B GRADE.

	P	W	L
Lilyf'd United .	2	2	0
An'dale Avoca .	2	2	0
Auburn	2	2	0
Easton Park . .	2	1	1
Leichhardt . . .	2	1	1
Glebe	2	0	2
Bondi	2	0	2

C GRADE.

	P	W	L
Avoca	2	2	0
Easton Park . .	2	2	0
Kewpies	2	2	0
Lilyfield No. 1 .	2	1	1
Lilyfield No. 2 .	2	1	1
Fernleigh . . .	2	1	1
Waratahs	2	1	1
Auburn	2	1	1
Ki-Ora	2	1	1
Bondi	2	0	2
Waverley	2	0	2

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School Appeal.

Metropolitan Association decided to supply a football each school playing Soccer competitions arranged by S.A.A.A., and as the financial resources of the Association are limited this year, the various schools have agreed to take up subscriptions on their grounds, and this will be acknowledged in the "Soccer News." The important thing to be realised by all round-sporters is that the Association, by the fact that a breakaway organisation is in existence, is prepared to shoulder the responsibility of organising this school appeal, and it is hoped that there will be a ready response.

M.S.F.A. has started the fund with a donation of £100 and this is very good evidence of the organisation's bona-fides. Soccer has as many school supporters as any other code, and while the wealth of other bodies makes it difficult for the Soccer organisation to hold its place, it is thought that the many enthusiasts throughout the length and breadth of the country will "do their bit" to keep the playing of the game they love well.

Breakaway clubs should join in with the official organisation in the matter of this appeal, although, of course, it is possible for the Association to reach them officially.

Individual donations from supporters will be received by the Editor of this journal, or preferably by the Hon. Secretary of the Metropolitan Soccer Football Association, Sports Club, Hunter Street, Sydney.

Manager, Victorian Team.

Harry Bingham is the player-manager of the side. He is the secretary of the Victorian Football Association, and plays in goal for Prahran, one of the Melbourne Clubs. He has represented Victoria in goal against the Czechs and Chinese, and also represented against the Canadians. During 1925, when the English team played in Victoria, he was too busy organising to play, and thus was not eligible for selection against the Englishmen. Harry is a fine worker for the game, and a great sport, and is popular in New South Wales. He came to New South Wales in 1923 as goalkeeper for the Victorian side, but unfortunately was hurt on that occasion. All good sports in this State wish him the best of luck on the present trip.

Prices Next Saturday.

The Association has decided to charge club prices only for next Saturday's match with Victoria, as follows:—Ground: Gentlemen, 1/-; ladies, 1/-; children, 3d. Stand (extra): Gentlemen, 1/-; ladies with children, 3d. extra.

Did You Know That—

The Victorians believe that the team they are sending to play N.S.W. next Saturday is the strongest team that has ever been sent to Sydney?

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Charlie O'Connor, admittedly one of the finest right-halves that has played in Sydney, and the old Eastern Suburbs player, is a member of the Victorian team?

The Victorians.

The Victorian side includes four players who have been nominated for the Java team, and all of them are reputedly fine exponents of the sport. There are A. Johnston, inside-left; R. Thompson, right-wing; G. Semple, left-half; and A. Ogilvy, left-wing.

Semple is regarded as a particularly good player, while, according to old hands in Victoria, Johnston is the best inside-forward that that State has ever produced.

New Lambton's Team.

AGAINST BALGOWNIE.

The following team will represent New Lambton against Balgownie in the Gardiner Cup to-day:—Jordan, Scott, Morgan, Spruce, Hayes, Robertson, Bell, O'Brien, Coates, W. Maunder, and Dent. It will be noticed that Billy Maunder, one of the best centre-forwards Australia has produced, will play for New Lambton.

Balmain's Team.

AGAINST WEST WALLSEND.

Balmain hope to surprise West Wallsend to-day.

The 'Mains' team is as follows:—Simmons, Driscoll, Pont, Robertson, Seddon, Byers, Ireland, Hale, Hurley, Boyle, Sinclair, Menzies (one to be omitted).

Balmain II. v. Callan Park:—McNally, Christie, Hancock, Flinn, Ferguson, Chapman, Parker, Rees, Stewart, Burness, Ramsay, Swanson (one to be omitted).

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PROGRAMME

FIRST GRADE.

ADAMSTOWN v. PYRMONT.—Wentworth Park Oval.

ADAMSTOWN.

W. Morgan

1-A. Harris 2-W. Icton
3-C. Watt 4-V. Turnbull 5-L. Ball
6-A. Dunne 7-A. Cameron 8-J. Butterworth 9-H. Parker

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10-R. Doig 9-H. Booth 8-R. Bennett 7-J. Callaghan
5-E. Hill 4-T. Richards 3-T. Turner
2-G. Humphries 1-S. Robinson

P. McGroder

PYRMONT.
(Blue.)

Linesmen: H. D. Jackson and McPhee.

Reserves—Adamstown: 11-H. Johns 12-A. Lambert 13-C. Cameron

Pyrmont: 11-C. Timms 12-Quill 13-A. Adamson

Referee: J. Thompson.

SECOND GRADE.

PYRMONT v. PERDRONIANS.—Wentworth Park.

PYRMONT.

(Blue.)

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(Teams not available.)

PERDRONIANS.

(Black.)

Referee: H. Battin.

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PROGRAMME

FIRST GRADE.

EASTERN SUBS. v. CORRIMAL.—S.C.G., No. 2, 3.15.

EASTERN SUBURBS.
 (Red, White, and Blue.)

F. Lambie

1-B. Lambie	2-Comrie
3-Lockhead	4-Purnell
Dickens 7-Featherstone	5-English
	8-Rohmer
	9-Courtney
	10-McEwan
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Shand	9-W. Kerr
5-Johnston	8-G. Smith
	7-Wilson
2-Tapp	4-Ireland
	3-A. Kerr
	1-Critchier

Drybury
CORRIMAL.
 (Red and White.)

Serves—Eastern Suburbs: 11-Roberts 12-Chilverd
Corrimal: 11-Moir

Umpire: G. McLay.

SECOND GRADE.

EASTERN SUBS. v. AUST. W. MILLS.—S.C.G., No. 2, 1.45.

EASTERN SUBURBS.
 (Red, White, and Blue.)

R. Caminiti

1-Moran	2-Hollidge
3-Rafter	4-Dryden
Batchelor	5-Unwin
7-Haynes	8-Reid
	9-Flowers
	10-A. Caminiti

(Team not available.)

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PROGRAMME.

GARDINER CUP.

NORTH SYDNEY V. SOUTH SYDNEY. Redfern Oval, 3.15.

NORTH SYDNEY.
(Red and Black.)

Bowyer

1-Brandon 2-C. Smith

3-G. Rose 4-J. Booth 5-Rodgers

6-Hetherington 7-Kent 8-Stewart 9-Dawes 10-Clayton

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10-J. Moore 9-P. Patulney 8-S. King 7-E. Richards 6-A. Burne

5-R. Meek 4-C. Hurkett 3-A. Bayley

2-J. Condon 1-Silvester

Cocking

SOUTH SYDNEY.

(Red and Green.)

Referee: T. Leighton.

SECOND GRADE.

NORTH SYDNEY v. SOUTH SYDNEY.—Redfern Oval, 1.45.

NORTH SYDNEY.
(Red and Black.)

Team not available.

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J. Elliott E. Shaw G. Nelson N. Richards C. Elliott

J. Scanlan Watson Cables

Swan McBougall

J. Nies

SOUTH SYDNEY.

(Red and Green.)

Reserves—South Sydney: Patterson and McEwan.

Referee: L. Harber.

FIRST GRADE.

AUBURN v. HELENSBURGH.—Granville Showground, 3.15.

AUBURN.

(Maroon.)

C. Callaghan

1-E. Bainbridge 2-A. Hilder

3-G. Cole 4-C. McKay 5-C. Malcolm

6-R. Hutchison 7-J. McDowell 8-A. McKay 9-C. Daley 10-D. McKay

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(Team not available.)

HELENSBURGH.

(Black and Gold.)

Referee: G. Fairs.

SECOND GRADE.

AUBURN v. CANTERBURY.—Granville Showground, 1.45.

AUBURN.

(Maroon.)

A. Owens

1-L. Taylor 2-H. Thoroughgood

3-H. Dewar 4-E. McKay 5-H. Pilon

6-A. Smorti 7-J. Hill 8-A. Brewer 9-R. Wade 10-L. Burke

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23-Watson 22-L. Smith 21-Metcalf 20-Bongers 19-Mills

18-Dibbs 17-Stepito 16-Sanders

15-Heterick 14-L. Moyes

Proctor

CANTERBURY.

(Blue and Gold.)

Reserves—Canterbury: 24-S. Moyes 25-Hotsen

Referee: B. Hyslop.

Eastern Suburbs.

Eastern Suburbs' defeat at hands (or feet) of Cardiff Saturday was most disappointing to the tricolours' supporters, but it is said that the condition of the Northerners' ground was detrimental to the short-passing game which Easts have become used to playing. However, it is a good thing that can alter its tactics to suit the ground, and the long-passing game should have been indulged in. Frank Lambie justified his inclusion as goalkeeper in place of Robison, and saved a penalty kick in good style. Moran should know never to kick the ball across his own goal when clearing. The halves were weak in defence, and seldom distributed the ball to advantage. Purnell will need to cease his wild kicking and learn to pass to his forwards. Featherstone still hangs on to the ball too much. He will either have to cut out the individualism which loses his position, because his play, although good in a way, is not the kind that assists his club to win matches. Now, it is up to Featherstone, to alter your tactics.

Corrimal will be a tough proposition for the locals to-day, after their draw with Helensburgh last week on the latter's ground full of merit. Jock Comrie will find it necessary to keep his team well up to the mark, and see that he don't slacken throughout the game.

Eastern Suburbs' second grade team play Australian Woolloomoolli Mills in the early game on No. 2 Cricket Ground. The tricolours beat the "Woollies" in their previous encounter, but this doesn't necessarily say that they can repeat the victory. Caminiti in goal did not show his true form last week, and should have stopped at least two of the goals scored against him. The backs, especially O'Connor, will have to play more strongly. The half-back line—Watson, Rafter, and Hollidge—reads well, and should be able to keep their forwards well supplied in addition to holding the "Woollies" in check. Easts' forward line will be the same as it was last week, with the exception that Haynes and Flowers have been changed from centre-forward to inside-left respectively. Now, boys, let there be no more 5 to 1 victories scored against you as Auburn did last week. Get in first to the ball, and keep it moving quickly.

Protestant Churches Association

CAMPSPIE METHODIST CHURCH.

Cook Branch teams especially are reminded that their first Church Parade will be held in the above church on Sunday night (tomorrow), and teams are expected to roll up in force. A special service has been arranged by the Rev. Chambers, in which Association officials will take part. Branch Secretary Mather will sing solo. Players and officials (and friends) should meet outside the church at 6.45 p.m. sharp. Badges and colours might be worn.

OTHER PARADES.

The South Syney Branch's parade at St. Alban's (Dar.) was not attended like it should have been, the address delivered by Rev. Siddens was one of the best.

Dalley Branch will hold theirs at the Balmain Methodist Church on the following Sunday, and St. George in the South Hurstville Methodist Church on June 2.

SPORTS DAY.

Teams are reminded that the annual Gala Day will be held on Canterbury Sports Ground, Monday, June 4 (King's Birthday). Admission, adults 6d., children 3d., which includes hot water. Entries close definitely at the Sports Club on Friday next. Further particulars can be obtained from branch secretaries.

CORNER FLAGS AND COLOURS.

Teams are reminded that corner flags must be provided, and if they are not then fines will be inflicted. Teams whose players are in incorrect colours will also be fined.

COAT BADGES.

Teams who have not yet received these badges should apply immediately.

POINT TABLE.

1st GRADE.

	P	W	L	D	F-A	Pt
W'ren Meth. A	4	4	0	0	12-3	8
Ca'psie Pres. A	4	4	0	0	8-3	8
Dul. Hill Pres.	4	3	1	0	11-4	6
Croy. Congs. A	4	3	1	0	14-6	6
All Saints' A	4	2	2	0	6-5	4
St. Thomas' A	4	2	2	0	8-8	4
Lchrt. Meth. A	4	1	2	1	7-9	3
C'psie Meth. A	4	0	3	1	2-8	1
Lak. Congs. A	4	0	4	0	1-12	0
Austen's	4	0	4	0	5-14	0

SOUTH SYDNEY, 2nd GRADE.

	P	W	L	D	F-A	Pt
St. Silas' ...	4	4	0	0	11-4	8
N. Croy. Bpt. A	4	3	1	0	20-3	6
Holy Trinity	4	3	0	0	7-6	6
B'main Meth. C	4	2	2	0	7-4	4
Botany Pres. A	4	2	2	0	17-7	4
St. Barnabas'	4	1	0	0	1-17	4
S. Alb.'s, Ul., A	4	0	4	0	7-17	0

SOUTH SYDNEY, 3rd GRADE.

	P	W	L	D	F-A	Pt
S. Alb.'s, Dar., A	4	4	0	0	25-2	8
May St. Meth.	4	3	1	0	6-3	6
S. Alb.'s, Ul., B	4	3	1	0	8-5	6
S. An.'s, Lak., B	4	2	2	0	11-7	4
S. Alb.'s, Dar., B	4	2	2	0	10-8	4
Botany Pres. B	4	1	3	0	6-8	2
McNeil Mem'l	4	1	3	0	1-13	2
St. Mark's ...	4	0	4	0	0-13	0

Alex. Congs. and Redfern Congs. omitted in error.

Draw for Saturday, May 26.

FIRST GRADE.

Croydon Congs. A v. Campsie Meth. A, Croydon Park, 3.15.
Lak. Congs A v. Campsie Pres. A, Lakemba, 3.15.
St. Thomas' A v. Austen's, Cook's River No. 1, 3.15.
All Saints' A v. Dul. Hill Pres., Canterbury No. 1, 3.15.
Warren Meth. A v. L'hardt Meth. A, Ashfield, 3.15.

COOK BRANCH.

Second Grade.

Campsie Meth. B v. P'bowl Meth. A, Punchbowl, 3.15.
Warren Meth. B v. Tempe Park Meth. A, Wardell Rd., No. 2, 1.45.

All Saints' B v. Croydon Congs. B, Wardell Road No. 2, 3.15.
Hurl. Park Meth. A v. Campsie Pres. B, Wardell Rd., No. 4, 3.15.
St. And.'s (S.H.) A v. Marrickville Congs., Cook's River No. 2, 3.15.

Third Grade.

St. And.'s (Lak.) A v. Campsie Meth. C, Croydon Park, 1.45.
Lak. Congs. C v. Croydon Congs. C, Canterbury No. 3, 1.45.
N. Croydon Bapt. B v. Hurl. Park Meth. B, Wardell Rd. No. 3, 1.45.
Dul. Hill Meth. v. P'bowl Meth. B, Punchbowl, 1.45.
Tempe Pk. Meth. B v. St. And.'s (S.H.) B, Cook's R. No. 3, 1.45.

DALLEY BRANCH.

Third Grade.

L'hardt Meth. C v. Balmain Bapt. B, Wardell Road No. 1, 1.45.
St. Aidan's B v. Helping Hand Mission, Canterbury No. 2, 1.45.
Lak. Congs. C v. P'sham Bapt. B, Wardell Road No. 4, 1.45.
B'main Meth. C v. St. Paul's B, Centennial Park No. 1, 1.45.
Balmain Meth. D v. ———, 1.45.

Second Grade.

St. Paul's A v. St. John's, Centennial Park No. 1, 3.15.
L'hart Pres. v. B'main Meth. A, Canterbury No. 4, 1.45.
P'sham Bapt. A v. L'hardt Meth. B, Ashfield, 1.45.
St. Aidan's A v. All Saints' C, Canterbury No. 1, 1.45.
B'main Bapt. A v. St. Thomas' B, Wardell Road No. 1, 3.15.

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Rep. matches to be arranged.

SOUTH SYDNEY BRANCH.

Second Grade.

B'main Meth. B v. St. Silas', Canterbury No. 4, 3.15.
St. Barnabas' v. Holy Trinity, Botany, 3.15.
Botany Pres. A v. Nth. Croydon Bapt., Wardell Road No. 2, 3.15.

Third Grade.

St. Andrew's (Lakemba) B v. St. Mark's, Centen. Pk. No. 2, 3.15.
St. Alban's (Ult.) B v. St. Alban's (Dar.) B, Rosebery, 1.45.
Botany Pres. v. St. Alban's (Dar.) A, Botany, 1.45.
May St. Meth. v. Redfern Congs., Canterbury No. 3, 1.45.
Alexandria Congs. v. McNeil Memorial, Rosebery, 3.15.

N. S. W. and Metrop. Associations

Results Last Saturday.

SIXTH ROUND.

Pymont 1, Balmain 1.
 North Sydney 3, Sth. Sydney 3.
 Canterbury 4, Thirroul 1.
 Balgownie 4, Auburn 2.
 Cardiff 3, East. Suburbs nil.
 New Lambton 3, Wallsend 3.
 (Game terminated before time owing to crowd rushing field).
 Adamstown 6, West Wallsend 2.
 Corrimall 2, Helensburgh 2.
 Holmesville the bye.

SECOND GRADE.

Pymont 2 (Thomas, King) beat Balmain 1 (Boyle).
 South Sydney 4 (Nelson 2, Shaw 2) beat North Sydney 1 (Holden).
 Callan Park 3 (Redfern 2, Kerri-son) beat Aust. W. Mills nil.
 Perdronians 2 (Ainslie, Fry) beat Canterbury nil.
 Auburn 5 (Wade 2, McDowall, Smart, Gibson) beat East. Suburbs 1 (Caminiti).
 Perdronians 9 (Hampshire 4, Ainslie 2, Fry, Horn, Penman) beat North Sydney nil.

N.S.W. PREMIERSHIP TABLE.

	M	W	D	L	B	F-A	Pt.
	Goals.						
Adamstown	6	5	1	0	0	25-4	11
W. W'send	6	5	0	1	0	31-15	10
Pymont	6	3	1	1	1	21-14	9
S. Sydney	6	2	1	2	1	16-18	7
Corrimall	5	3	1	1	0	11-11	7
Canterbury	6	3	1	2	0	22-21	7
East. Subs.	6	1	2	2	1	11-15	6
N. Lambton	5	3	—	2	—	20-13	6
Hel'burgh	5	2	1	2	—	11-11	5
Auburn	6	2	1	3	—	14-19	5
Balmain	6	1	1	3	1	7-10	5
Wallsend	5	2	—	3	—	7-13	4
Thirroul	5	1	—	3	1	8-13	4
Balgownie	5	2	1	2	—	14-10	5
Holmesville	6	1	1	3	1	9-18	5
Nth. Syd.	6	1	2	3	—	15-23	4
Cardiff	6	1	—	5	—	10-23	2

Result of match Wallsend v. New Lambton not included, as it was unfinished last Saturday.

SECOND GRADE.

	P	W	L	D	F-A	Pt.
Auburn	6	4	0	2	18-9	10
Pymont	6	5	1	0	28-5	10
East. Subs.	6	4	2	0	13-14	8
Perdronians	5	3	1	1	16-4	7
Canterbury	5	2	1	3	13-8	7
Callan Pk.	5	2	2	1	8-9	5
Nth. Syd.	5	1	4	1	7-24	3
Sth Syd.	5	1	4	0	5-17	2
Balmain	5	0	3	1	7-11	1
Aus. W. Mills	5	0	4	1	4-18	1

One result not included: Balmain v. Aust. Wollen Mills, on 25/4/28.

The Fixtures.

MAY 19th.

GARDINER CUP.

Balgownie v. New Lambton, at Corrimall. (W. Clark.)
 Wallsend v. Cardiff, Newcastle.
 North Sydney v. South Sydney, Redfern Oval. (T. Leighton.)

FIRST GRADE.

West Wallsend v. Balmain, West Wallsend.
 Pymont v. Adamstown, Wentworth Park. (J. Thompson.)
 Auburn v. Helensburgh, Granville Show Ground. (G. Fairs.)
 Thirroul v. Holmesville, Thirroul.
 Eastern Suburbs v. Corrimall, Sydney Cricket Ground, No. 2. (G. McLay.)
 Canterbury the bye.

SECOND GRADE.

Pymont v. Perdronians, Wentworth Park, 1.45. (H. Battin.)
 Eastern Suburbs v. Australian Wollen Mills, S.C. Gd., No. 2, 1.45. (E. J. Martin.)
 Callan Park v. Balmain, Callan Park, 2.30. (J. Hague.)
 Auburn v. Canterbury, Granville Show Ground, 1.45. (B. Hyslop.)
 South Sydney v. North Sydney, Redfern Oval, 1.45. (L. Harber.)
 Linesmen, Wentworth: H. D. Jackson, and McGhee.

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Fixtures, May 26th. INTERSTATE.

N.S.W. v. Victoria (Test Match)
 Sydney Cricket Ground, No. 2.
 3.15 p.m.

FIRST GRADE.

Canterbury v. Eastern Suburbs, Sydney Cricket Ground, No. 2, 1.45 p.m.
 Balgownie v. Helensburgh, at Balgownie, 3.15 p.m.
 Thirroul v. Corrimall, at Thirroul, 3.15 p.m.
 Holmesville v. New Lambton, at Holmesville.
 Adamstown v. Wallsend, at Adamstown.
 Cardiff v. South Sydney, at Cardiff.
 West Wallsend the bye.

Football Arguments.

(Q.)—Can a player raise his heels when throwing the ball from touch?

(A.)—A player is perfectly entitled to raise his heels (that is, stand on his toes) when throwing in the ball from touch. The law is complied with if he has any part of both feet on the ground when throwing in the ball.

(Q.)—During the progress of a game, the goalkeeper, in clearing, kicks the ball against the rebound and it rebounds past the goalkeeper into the net, without touching another player. Is this a corner or a goal?

(A.)—the correct decision would be a goal.